

# **Michigan Permit and Routing System Web application-(MIPARS)** **Internet Explorer Settings for MIPARS Web**

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Please remember that MIPARS Web is certified to run in MS Internet Explorer (IE) version 6.0 and 6.5. It has not been tested or certified to run in version 7.0.

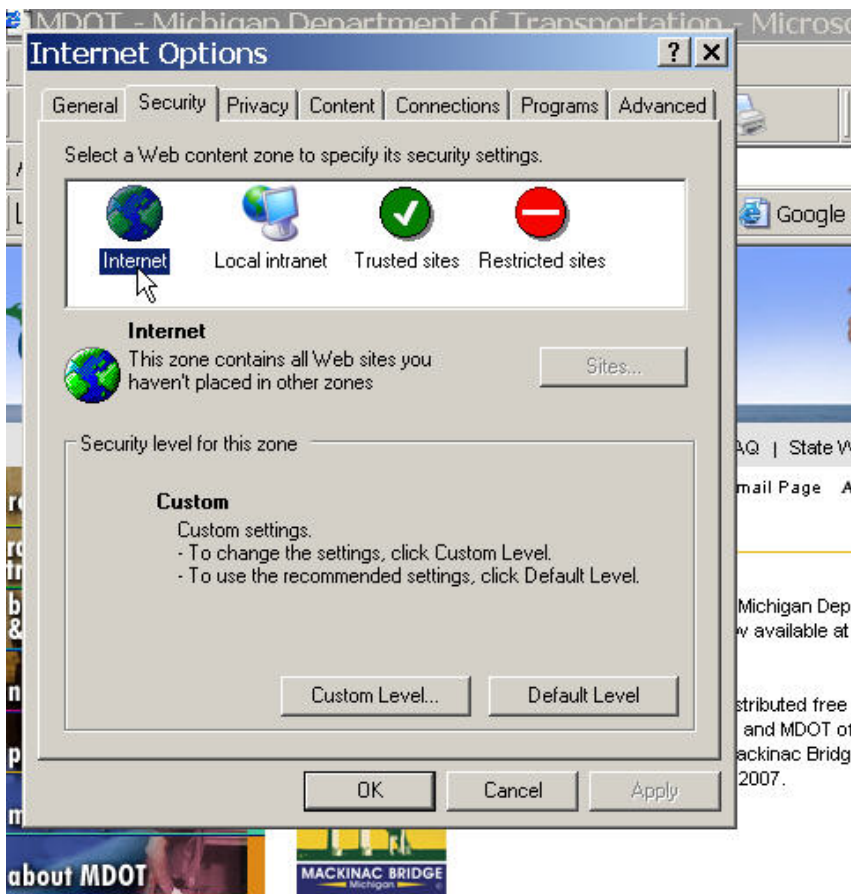
There are several settings that need to be activated in order to run the MIPARS Web application successfully. These can be accessed by starting IE and going to the Tools menu then select Internet Options. See image below:



Internet Options looks like this:

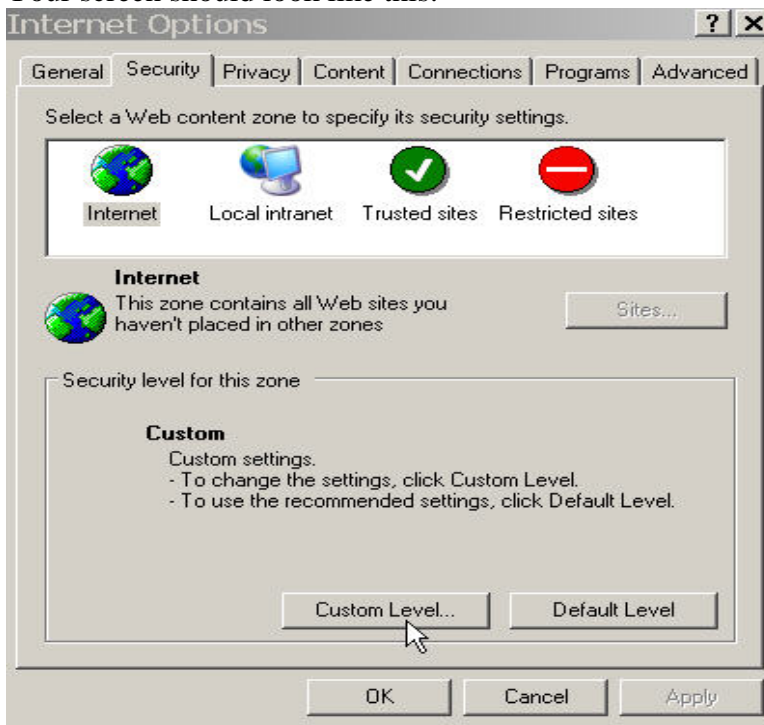


You can find the settings you need to check by clicking the Security tab:



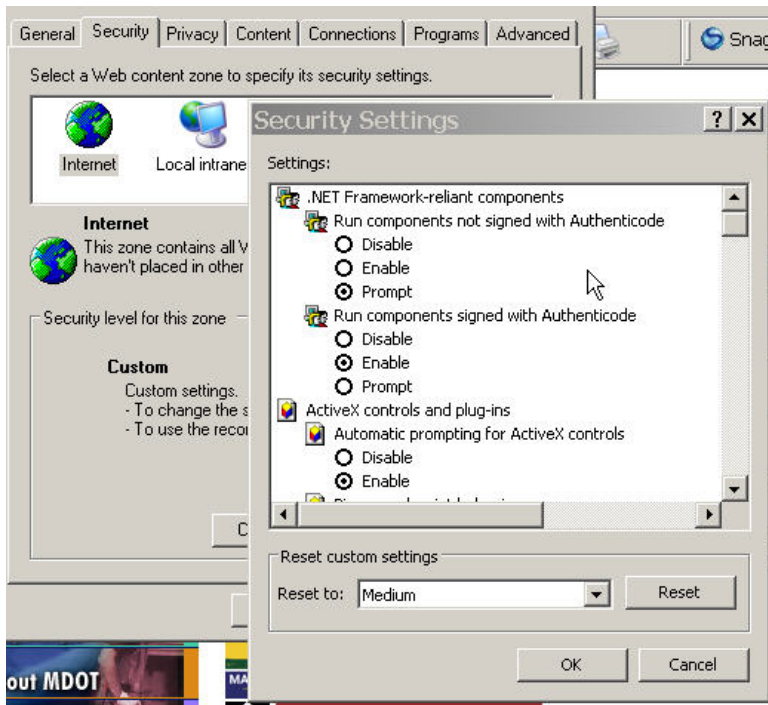
Click on the Internet (globe) Icon – see above image.

Your screen should look like this:



Click the Custom Level – note the arrow in the above image.

After you have clicked Custom Level you should see a list similar to the one below:



These screen shots are being taken from an MDOT computer. A private company does not need all of the selected options above. To avoid confusion please follow the directions below.

Using the **Scroll Bar** on the right side of the Security Settings box (see image above) make sure the following radio buttons are set to Enable. Just click the radio button you want to activate and the option is Enabled.

The list is broken into several function headings however MIPARS only needs settings enabled in 3 areas to run properly.

◆◆ Under the Active X Controls and Plug-ins section:

Automatic prompting for ActiveX controls – Enable  
Binary and script behaviors – Enable  
Download signed ActiveX controls – Enable  
Run ActiveX controls and plug-ins – Enable  
Scripts ActiveX controls marked safe for scripting – Enable

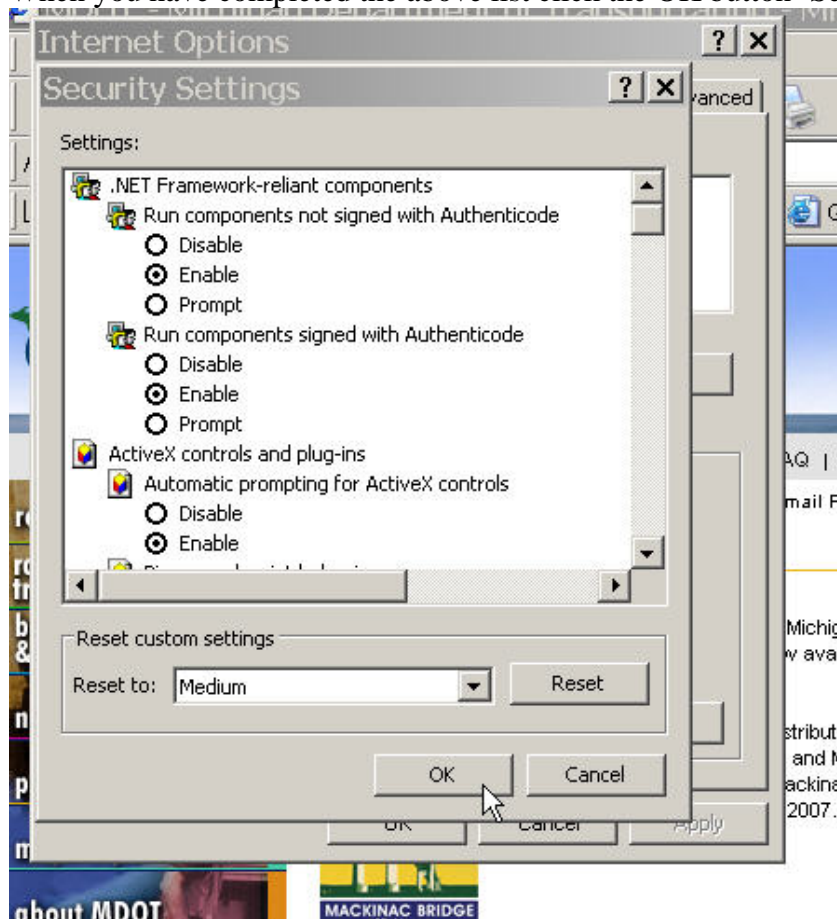
◆◆ Under the Downloads section:

Automatic prompting for file downloads – Enable  
File Download – Enable

◆◆ Under the Scripting section:

Active scripting – Enable

When you have completed the above list click the OK button- See image below:



You will be prompted – “Are you sure you want to change the settings for this Zone?” Click the Yes button.

You will be taken back to the Internet Options screen. Click the OK button and you will be back at the main IE window. You should close Internet Explorer and reopen it to ensure the new settings take effect. You do not need to reboot your computer.

➔ If your business has both internet access and an internal Intranet the above options should be applied to both the Internet setting and Intranet settings- see Custom Level screen above.

➔ **Don't be concerned if there are other security settings marked enabled or disabled in your copy of Internet Explorer. The settings noted above are the ones needed to run MIPARS Web. Any other Enabled choices should NOT have any impact on MIPARS.**